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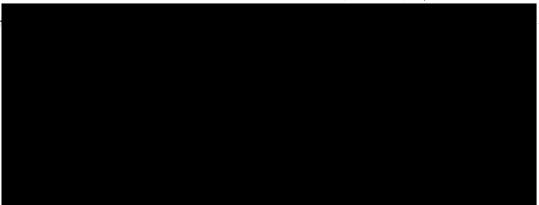
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Rumored Partisan Activities (According to Informant A)

- According to rumors in Gabrovo, a group of Partisans was active in the Kodzha Balkan Mountains in the vicinity of Gabrovo in September 1953.
- According to unofficial reports, Militia forces in Gabrovo and an Army unit from Sevlievo were sent to the Kodzha Balkans to search for the Partisans.
- from the Kodzha Balkans told 25X1X informant that following the interrogation of some "Karakachans" (ethnic Greek cattlemen living in the area) two boxes of chocolate and a parachute were found. All of the Karakachans were arrested but they were found to possess no weapons.

Sabotage. "Surp i Chuk" Factory

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i Chuk" Military Apparel Factory that in 1951 a fire started in the shoe section of the factory causing considerable damage. This fire was attributed to an act of sabotage.

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